IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NORTH DAKOTA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

Case No. 3:20-cr-96

v.

UNITED STATES' MOTION TO DISMISS

JEFFREY SAHL FERRIS,

Defendant.

The United States of America, by Nicholas W. Chase, Acting United States

Attorney for the District of North Dakota, and Dawn M. Deitz, Assistant United States

Attorney, hereby moves pursuant to Rule 48(a) of the Federal Rules of Criminal

Procedure, to dismiss the Indictment against Jeffrey Sahl Ferris, as defendant is deceased.

Dated: May 19, 2021

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By: /s/ Dawn M. Deitz

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